

## Message Text

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ACTION PM-05

INFO OCT-01 EA-10 ISO-00 DOE-11 ACDA-12 CIAE-00 INR-10

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FM AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4978

INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

DMA WASHDC

DMATC WASHDC

SECDEF WASHDC

C O N F I D E N T I A L WELLINGTON 00859

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, TSPA, NZ

SUBJECT: SEASAT-A SATELLITE OBSERVATION PROGRAM

REF: STATE 42627

IN SEEKING GOVERNMENT OF NEW ZEALAND APPROVAL FOR

DEPLOYMENT OF DMA TRACKING TEAMS AT NAPIER, IS

CLASSIFIED INFORMATION CONTAINED IN PARAGRAPH THREE

OF REFTEL RELEASEABLE TO GNZ OFFICIALS? HEALY

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
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